The energy and coastal zone administration ENERGY AND COASTAL ZONE ADMINISTRATION , which shall include the power plant siting and research program, the Bureau of Mines, the mining examining board, the Maryland Commission on Mining Laws [and], the Land Reclamation Committee, AND THE MARYLAND ENERGY POLICY OFFICE.

TITLE 11. MARYLAND ENERGY POLICY OFFICE

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- (A) THE MARYLAND ENERGY POLICY OFFICE IS ESTABLISHED WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, ENERGY AND COASTAL ZONE ADMINISTRATION.
- (B) THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ENERGY AND COASTAL ZONE ADMINISTRATION SHALL IMPLEMENT AND ADMINISTER THOSE CONSERVATION, ALLOCATION, OR OTHER ENERGY PROGRAMS OR MEASURES PURSUANT TO STATE LAW OR FEDERAL LAWS, ORDERS, OR FEDERAL RULES, OR REGULATIONS.

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THE MARYLAND ENERGY POLICY OFFICE SHALL:

- (1) IDENTIFY AND ANALYZE THE ENERGY CONSERVATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE STATE OF MARYLAND:
- (2) DEVELOP AND UPDATE A STATE POLICY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT, UTILIZATION, SANAGEMENT, RECULATION, AND CONSERVATION OF MARYIAND'S ENERGY RESOURCES;
- (2) DEVELOP AND UPDATE A STATE POLICY FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND CONSERVATION OF MARYLAND'S ENERGY RESOURCES;
- (3) IDENTIFY AND ANALYZE THE SOURCES OF ENERGY ENTERING THE STATE OF MARYLAND AND THE DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENT FOR THAT ENERGY WITHIN THE STATE;
- (4) PREPARE ENERGY CONTINGENCY PLANS, INCLUDING A SYSTEM OF PRIORITIES FOR ALLOCATION AND DISTRIBUTION TO VARIOUS CLASSES OF CONSUMERS IN TIME OF ENERGY SHORTAGE:
- (4) PREPARE CONTINGENCY PLANS FOR THE ALLOCATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF MIDDLE DISTILLATE OIL, MOTOR GASOLINE, RESIDUAL FUEL OIL, AND PROPANE GAS TO VARIOUS CLASSES OF CONSUMERS IN THE TIME OF ENERGY SHORTAGE:
- (5) ASSUME THOSE RESPONSIBILITIES DELEGATED TO THE STATE ENERGY OFFICES PURSUANT TO THE ORDERS, RULES, AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED PURSUANT TC ANY FEDERAL LAWS RELATING TO THE ALLOCATION, CONSERVATION, DEVELOPMENT, OR CONSUMPTION OF ENERGY RESOURCES;
- (6) EVALUATE RECOMMEND, AND COORDINATE ENERGY RELATED -POLICIES AND ACTIVITIES OF ALL ACENCIES OF THE